

**SYSTEM, METHOD AND DATA STORAGE MEDIUM FOR SHARING  
DATA BETWEEN VIDEO GAMES**

Abstract of the Disclosure

5 A system for sharing information between separately executable programs is  
provided. The data sharing system includes a control unit (11) having a processor  
(12) and a memory (16) coupled to the processor (12). The memory (16) stores  
information pertaining to a first program that was previously executed by the  
processor (12). The data sharing system also includes a data storage medium (14)  
10 that stores a second program executable by the processor (12). When executed by  
the processor, the second program retrieves information pertaining to the first  
program from the memory and utilizes the information pertaining to the first program  
with the execution of the second program.